didate's Interest.

the whole matter thoroughly.

Who Is Committeeman?

the temporary organization of the dele

the latter by the permanent organiza-

Regulars Treated With Contempt.

'Lily Whites' have refused absolute! have anything to do with the "regu lars," and have answered with silent and contemptuous scorn all propositions

looking to harmony that involved par ticipation in the deliberations of the

Edward Drew, a printer, forty-four

471 C Street northwest, has been sent to

he Washington Asylum Hospital fo

Drew called at Police Headquarters

Drew called at Police Headquarters and asked protection from persons who, he said, were after him to lynch him because they thought he had committed a crime against a girl.

After questioning him, Captain Boardman's men thought it best to send him to the Washington Asylum for treatment.

But there are other troubles,

These battleships are the Asahi, Mikasa, Fuji, Yashima, and Shikishima. The sixth battleship the Japanese have there is the Chen Yen, which was captured from the Chinese in the war between Japan and China, and is of little value where speed is required.

Two armored cruisers and seven protected cruisers are the other large warships the Japanese are supposed to have at Port Arthur. The two armored cruisers are the Nisshin and Kasuga, and the protected cruisers are the Chitoso, Takasago, Akitsushima, Idsuma, Matsushima, Itsukushima, and Hashidate. In addition to these Japan has thiry torpedo craft.

Four Russian .attueships are at Port Arthur opposed to the five modern Japanese battleships. The Russian battleships are the Retvizan. Pobleda, Pel-

#### ENGLAND READY TO FIGHT FOR FREEDOM OF SHIPS

mising attitude toward the action of the offending warships.
the Russian warships in sinking the ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 17.—The steamer Knight Commander.

LONDON, Aug. 17 .- Your correspon- | Also, if there is a repetition of the dent learns from a diplomatic source sinking of a British ship, British cruiser that England has taken an uncompro- will be ordered to exact reparation from

British ambassador today presented a In her latest note to Russia Great Brit- protest to the Russian government on ain informed the St. Petersburg officials the subject of conditional and unconditional that they must pay damages for the tional contraband, as outlined by Presinking of the Knight Commander. If mier Balfour in his recent statements in this is refused England will consider her the British house of commons regardhonor flouted, and will resort to ex- ing the sinking of the steamer Knight

#### PORT ARTHUR FLEET FAILED TO ENCOUNTER JAP SHIPS

CHEFOO, Aug. 17.-The Russians, it approached, but she was fairly blown is now reported, did not encounter the out of her course by a hail of shells Japanese fleet in their sortle yesterday. Nevertheless, they returned to Port ticipating in the fight. Every

The Japanese fleet kept off some dis- wounded.

sian vessels having gone to the assistance of the Czarewitch, which was then hard pressed. The Retvizan desperately attempted to break through the line and tried to ram a cruiser which

of the Czarewitch was either killed or

The Japanese fleet kept off some distance from the entrance to Port Arthur during Monday night, fearing danger from torpedoes in the darkness.

A striking incident of the naval engagement of August 10 was the surrounding of the battleship Retvizan by Japanese torpedo boats, the other Russian yessels having gone to the assist.

#### DESTROYER BOORNI, ASHORE. WAS BLOWN UP BY RUSSIANS

British ambassador here has received an crew were saved. Lieutenant Tyrton Wel, August 12. It says:

"Lieutenant Tyrtoff, commanding the

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 17 .- The the rocks near Shantung. All of the official telegram from the commander of the British squadron, dated Wel-Hai- at Wel-Hai-Wel under British protec-

"Lieutenant Tyrtoff asks that he dis-Russian torpedo beat destroyer Boorni, patch be communicated to the Russian arrived here at 3 p. m. with his crew, government. The officers and crew have having wilked from Shantung. He been acommodated on board the British states that at 2:08 o'clock in the morn-storeship Humber. They will be sent to ing. during a fog, the Boorni went on Hongkong."

#### JAPANESE SEE FLAMES OF OIL TANKS AFIRE IN PORT ARTHUR

LONDON, Aug. 17.—A dispatch to the no longer trying to place their guns in Central News from Tokyo says that a the higher positions, which are too easily big oil warehouse at Port Arthur is reached by the fire of the fortress, but blazing furiously and that the position are busying themselves with mining

advices from Port Arthur, says that the Japanese, during a bombardment, occupied strongly fortified positions with a number of slege guns. After two hours several of the Japanese guns were silenced.

The mining fleet still in the harbor is the operations of Vice Admiral Togo's fleet.

The mining fleet still in the harbor is the operations of Vice Admiral Togo's the operations of Vice Admiral Togo's fleet.

There is no sickness in the fortress, and the losses in the successive fights are by no means so heavy as represented in the Japanese reports.

of the besieged is such that the Japanese are urging them to surrender.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 17.—A dispatch received from Chefoo last night, dated August 16, and giving undated supplied with ammunition and provisions.

### MANY CARPENTERS TELL PRESIDENT OF FORM NEW UNION "LILY WHITE" FIGHT

Labor Circles Aroused by Louisiana Regulars Carry Employes of Navy Yard the New Departure. Grievance Up

TROUBLE IS EXPECTED WHITES IGNORE THE BLACKS

Carpenters May Unite With Bricklayers and Disturb Union Labor Organizations Generally.

"We have been treated unfairly, and we have decided to take care of ourselves. We do not intend to make a fight upon anyone, nor disrupt present un-ion labor conditions in Washington. There is, however, some unfairness and we are going to have a local carpen-

ters' association 2,000 strong. This statement concerning the inten tions of the union carpenters of Wasi ington, was made this morning by Ed ward C. Connolly, one of the union leaders, at the carpenters' headquarters, 1108

E Street northwest.

The decision reached is the culmination of a series of troubles between the Central Labor Union and the Allied Building Trades. The carpenters unions were suspended from both these organizations.

Large Membership.

According to statements made toda; the new organization has been named the Structural Building Alliance, and it has, the leaders say, 2,000 members to start with. If this figure is correct the new organization will be one of the strongest in "It is to be composed of both the Brotherhood and

Project Indorsed.

Carpenters' Union, No. 386, met last night at the E Street headquarters and indorsed the project enthusiastically. Monday the United Brotherhood of Car penters and Joiners met and joined the organization. A large meeting is plan-ned for next Monday.

Trouble Predicted.

The builders and constructors of Washington are watching the movemen with muc. of alst, and some of then are predicting toubles between the ur

are predicting troubles between the unions which will affect the whole building trade o. Washington. They say the organization of the new alliance means wer on the older bodies in the near future.

It was said this morning, despite denkels, that the carpenters are endeavoring to form an alliance with the bricklayers, and the other unions of the building trades.

Should the bricklayers and carpenters unite they would, by far, have the strongest union combination in Washington.

It is expected that next week will se the new organization in full swing.

#### LEITER BELIEVES VICTORY IS HIS INSANE PRINTER SENT

CARBONDALE, Ill., Aug. 17.—Joseph Leiter is one of the happiest men in outhern Illinois, despite the fact that southern Illinois, despite the fact that his last consignment of non-union men from West Virginia, consisting of forty-nine, were fired upon while en route to Ziegier. He believes the contest is practically ended.

The miners are evidently not of the same opnion, for they stoutly hold that Letter cannot successfully mine coal in southern Illinois along the lines he have

outhern Illinois along the lines he has

Degun.
The Leiter train was fired upon from a

## WOULD TAKE TIME FROM LEAVE DUE

Make This Proposition.

DARLING CONSENTS TO IT

Committee Calls on Him to Say This Latter Discouraged in Fight for Seats Would Suit Better Than in Congress-Pleased With Can-Deducting Salary.

Louisiana politics was brought to the the half holiday pay of the Washington ittention of the President this afternavy yard employes developed today noon by a delegation representing what when a committee from the gun fac is known as the "regular" wing of the Republican party in that State. The "regulars" are having trouble with the tory called at the Navy Department to make the proposition that if the Govern ment intends to deduct the half holiday "Lily Whites" and they are very desirpay already lost the time should be de is of having things straightened out. ducted from the annual leave. When the delegation left, its members

In this way those employes who are now on their annual leave or still have seemed to be immensely pleased with the reception they received and the assome leave before them will not actual surances of sympathy they were given.

The delegation consisted of Emile ly have any money deducted from their salaries. This affects the per diem employes, as well. The committee express ed the opinion that if the Governmen has to be reimbursed for those half days it will be more advantageous to dent for half an hour and went over the employes to have the time deducted from their annual eave

Mr. Darling Assents.

The principal question in dispute is To this proposition Assistant Secrethe rightful holder of the position of natary Darling gave his consent, it hav-ing come from the machinists on their tional committeeman from Louisiana. The "regulars" say he is Walter L. Cohen, the negro register of the land own initiative.

The members of the committee who offices at New Orleans. The "Lily called at the department today were Whites" are equally earnest in declaring him to be former Gov. Henry Clay ternational Machinists; F. A. Bradford Warmouth. The former was elected by representing the Pattern Makers' Asso the temporary organization of the dele-gation at the Chicago convention, and ciation, and J. G. Williams, represent

member of the committee said:
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done in a legal way. But we contend w
should be made acquainted with the au
probably go to New York to see him
before returning to Louisiana." ance of the half day provided it was done in a legal way. But we contend we granted by an executive order of the

President."

The Comptroller of the Treasury's decision in the matter is still pending, but it is thought that the arrangement mad today for reckoning the half-holida along with the annual leave will caus a favorable settlement.

# FIFTEEN NEW CASES

ticipation in the deliberations of the colored man and brother. The committee at the White House today said the "Lily Whites" would not even answer their letters.

"The result of the feeling that has been engendered in the State," said Mr. Kuntz, "will be that there will be two sets of nominees for Congress, and two sets of Presidential electors. It cannot be other than unfortunate for the party in the State, and will dissipate all our hopes of electing one or more representatives in Congress." developed in the District, during the week ended last Saturday. According to the report of the Health Departmen issued today, this is an increase of thir ty-three over the number of cases or TO WASHINGTON ASYLUM and at the end of the preceding week Last week seventeen cases were dis harged, as cured, leaving a total of years of age, who gave his address as 148 cases now under treatment, as of posed to 170 cases during the corresponding period las, year

There were 121 deaths in the Distric There were 121 deaths in the District last week, of which, 77 were whites and 44 negroes. The births numbered 137, and of these 86 were whites and 51 negroes. There were 17 fatal cases of consumption, 10 deaths which were due to diseases of the kidneys, and 8 deaths occurred from diseases of the heart. Scarlet fever also registers an increase of from 18 to 23 in the number of cases under treatment.

### Two Girls Face Death On Railroad Trestle

One Lies Down Flat and Escapes—Other Slips Through, Hangs by Hands, and Falls Into Creek Below.

Hanging by her hands to a railway upon them before they could retrace the thirty feet above the earth, while a train passed over her head, and dropping possible, Miss Ethel threw herself full train passed over her head, and dropping into a small creek below, is the thrill-

and Ethel Pyles. They have been face to face with death, and while Miss Rhoda was seriously injured, she has so far recovered as to be moved with safety, and next Friday, accompanie her sister, she will be brought to Wash-

A few weeks ago the young laides went for a visit to the farm of Mrs. Gold, at Delaplane, Va. One day they volunteered to go for the mail. postoffice was about four miles from the farm, and to shorten the distance the young ladies started across a trestle

Rushing Train Comes.

About midway on the trestle a passen-ger train turned a curve and was close

Into a small creek below, is the thrilling experience of Miss Rhoda Pyles, of
3439 P Street northwest.

But two of the happiest girls in Washington next Friday will be Miss Rhoda
and Ethel Pyles. They have been face

Drops Into Creek.

Miss Ethel hastened to the aid of her sister, but before help could be given the young lady's strength gave way dropped into the creek, thirty feet

a week or two it was feared she could not recover from her injuries and the shock to her system. Careful attention, however, wrought a change for the better, and her condition has improved sufficiently to permit her removal to her home in this city.

A special trein will bring the invested to

home in this city.

A special train will bring the invalid to this city, and at the depot an ambulance will be waiting to take her



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### RUSSIAN CAPITAL PREPARED FOR LOSS OF PORT ARTHUR

that Port Arthur is doomed increases daily. It is an open secret that, while provisions are plentiful, the ammunition expended since the beginning of the war is stupendous and there cannot now be a large supply.

The official "Vicstnik" publishes news of another attack four days ago, the result of which is unknown.

News that the Vladivostok squadron has at last been tackled and badly bat-tered causes the "Russ" to lament the heavy days through which the country

BIRTHS.

WILLARD-On Wednesday, August 17, 1904, at 8:35 a. m., at 1333 K Street north-west, Washington, D. C., to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellogg Willard, a son. au17-3t

KIMBALL—Born, on Sunday, August 14, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Kim-ball, a daughter.

KELSO-On Tuesday morning, August 16, 1904, PAUL KELSO. It McNEELY-On Monday, August 15, 1904, at 1:15 a. m. at Markleton, Pa. MARY ELLEN MCNEELY, widow of Thomas McKean McNeely, aged sixty-two years.

WHITNEY-On Tuesday, August 16, 1994, at 11 a, m., at the residence of his nephew, 1118 K Street northeast, HAR-VEY B. WHITNEY, of 909 C Street northeast, aged sixty-seven years and eleven months.

MORGENWECK-Suddenly, on Mon August 15, 1904, at Hancock, Md., at clock p. m., CASPER MORGEN-DOUGLAS-On Tuesday, August 16, 1904, HENRY, husband of Mary E. Doug-las, in his eightieth year.

DEATH RECORD.

Burns, Jesse, 361 Van st, sw., 4. Dunn, Edna H, Anacostua B, C., 1. Freeland, Samantha G., 13 7th st. se., 58. Hoeke, infant of Warren and Emma, 1633 2d st. nw., 7 day.

jst. nw., 7 day.

Jackson, Maggle, 1206 U st., 18.

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Jones, Marjorie K., 600 15th st. nc., 7 mos.

Krouse, John L., navy yard; 61.

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Malvier, Lucretia, Washington Asylum Hos., 17

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The official "Vicstnik" publishes news "Strong hopes are entertained of the Novik and Pollada reaching Vladivo? stok."

CHURCH NOTICES

WANTED — Members and friends to know Dr. R. G. PERKINS, D.D., of West Virginia, will deliver a special sermon at the Mount Horeb Baptist Church, Sixteenth Street northeast, between B and C Streets, Thursday evening, August 18, 8 o'clock. All are invited. Dr. Perkins is one of the ablest preachers in the Bantist denomination. preachers in the Baptist denomination

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